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# Pomeroy Blue Spruce Gardens

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We need your help in raking our Paby evergrate Christian a success, as we find the are selling there little that are closed to gest of production that there is not much left for alterdicing expanses. Could you send us a list of ten or treaty fricids the might be interested in knowing about our little trees? We should certicularly appreciate the names of those in your vicinity who have recently built now homes or are about to do so. You would be doing a favor to them and we shall be very glad to requy the courtesy by serding you was entras with your order. The latters we have need incd from others the house sent us names have show that they were sell placed to the reache have sent us names. Should you know all one who might like to set us can representative in your neighborhood, we should be glad to hear from him.

Yours very truly, POWIROY BLUE SPRUCE GARDENS

\*\*\* SPECIAL OF JERRY JERRY JERRY BEAUTIFUL \*\*\*

Flowers 8"-18" in diameter, stalks 3 ft. high, blooming in August and September From Tally (Fo. 1 - 1 Fe-4).00 per dozen (enioness this stall on actival from Jap 1.)

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RUBRUM: Dalient int, almost white, spotted red. One of the old garden favorites.

# Special Gladiolus Bulbs For Fall Delivery

We will send one hundred first size bulbs from our Gardens which created so much interest and comment throughout New England last summer. Our one aim in this BBSG Mixture is to have it a living advertisement for our Baby Blue Spruce Gardens. We know you will be more than pleased with our selection.

BBSG Mixture, \$4.00 per hundred; 300 for \$10.00.

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#### BABY EVERGREENS

The striking beauty of the finest country estates is largely due to the planting of ornamental evergreens. Among the most popular of these evergreens are the BLUE SPRUCES and Concolor Fir. Specimen Blue Spruces are often sold at ten dollars or more per vertical foot, many selling for more than one hundred dollars each. Our "Baby Evergreen Plan" makes it easy for you to have a beautiful planting at very little cost or trouble.

#### **GROWTH**

It is surprising how quickly a "baby tree" becomes a specimen worth twenty or thirty dollars. Many of our three year old trans-plants are sold for three dollars or more apiece, two years after trans-planting, as at that time about fifty per cent of the PUNGENS and seventy-five per cent of the ENGLEMANN begin to show their blue color and may be moved to their permanent locations.

#### OCEAN TO OCEAN

The location and nature of our soil are peculiarly adapted to the propagation of these baby trees and we are specializing in growing them for large planters and nurserymen all over the United States.

Our system of packing and shipping insures delivery in perfect condition, even in far away parts of Texas and California, where our customers are receiving them in as good condition as when taken from the ground.

#### **RE-ORDERS FOR BORDERS**

Many of our customers find these little trees so attractive, all the year, around their flower beds and walks that they plant more when the larger ones are moved to their permanent settings.

#### BETTER THAN APPLES FOR PROFIT

Last fall a big apple grower said: "If I had only reversed my order when I ordered a thousand apple trees and a few blue spruce babies, a few years ago, I could now be spending my winters in Florida or California."

#### TWO YEAR OLDS

These little two year olds are very fine. If they are transplanted at this age they develop a wonderful root system. A mulch of lawn grass clippings holds the moisture and so nearly eliminates the weeds that a child can easily care for them.

#### 100%

If our planting instructions are followed there is no reason why every one of these "Baby Trees" should not do well, both now and later, when trans-planted to your lawn or grounds.

### YOUR FRIENDS

We shall appreciate a list of your friends who have gardens. We shall be pleased to show our appreciation by sending "extras" with your order.

#### **PRICES**

Code 4T. Four year old transplants—\$40.00 per 100. \$320.00 per thousand. Selected samples, \$1.00 each. We can furnish those marked 3T which are three year old transplants, 4 to 5 inches high at \$30.00 per hundred or \$240.00 per thousand. Selected trees at \$50.00 per hundred.

Those marked 2S are two year old seedlings, 2 to 3 inches high, at \$15.00 per hundred or \$120.00 per thousand. Five hundred at the thousand rate. Combination orders accepted. Prices include packing and transportation.

# PLANT BABY EVERGREENS

FALL: AUGUST 20th TO NOVEMBER 30th. SPRING: APRIL 1st TO JUNE 1st.

San Antonio, Texas, May 27th, 1926.

Baby Blue Spruce Gardens, New Milford, Conn. Gentlemen:

My order of Baby Evergreens which you mailed May 17th, arrived the morning of the 20th, in excellent condition. They have been planted a week and are all in fine shape.

Yours very truly,

#### F. E. DAVIDSON

ARCHITECT MONADOCK BUILDING CHICAGO TELEPHONE HARRISON 7818

Baby Blue Spruce Gardens, New Milford, Connecticut, Gentlemen:

June 1, 1926.

Permit me to express my very great appreciation of the quality of the stock you shipped from your nurseries. Last Fall I secured quite a number of both two and four year old Blue Spruce and planted them out at my home in Holland. They came through the winter in good shape and are now growing finely.

This Spring I secured from you fifty additional two year old Blue Spruce and a number of English Walnut trees.

I am glad to advise you that every single tree is growing as only trees can grow in West Michigan.

Very truly yours,

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F. E. DAVIDSON.

### AMERICAN HEMLOCK

(Tsuga Canadensis)

With its long slender green branches (whitish under surface) tipped with the delicate light green new growth drooping gracefully to the ground—the Hemlock is known as the most beautiful of all native conifers.

It will remain small for many years if sheared. Especially recommended for foundation groups and hedges.

Thrives best in moist, deep loam soil—partially shaded and cool.

American Hemlock can be furnished in the following sizes:

Three year transplants, code 3T. Two year seedlings, code 2S. Four year transplants-code 4T. Selected Four year transplants, \$1.00 each.

## CONCOLOR (SILVER) FIR

(Abies Concolor)

This beautiful fir richly deserves all the compliments it receives and is certainly "The Queen of the Firs." It retains all its lower branches. The foliage is beautiful throughout the year. The branches resemble a beautiful ostrich plume fan: dark green in the center, fringed with light green, feathery needles.

Any soil. Especially recommended for tall background screens or choice individual specimens.

Concolor Fir can be furnished in the following sizes:

Three year transplants, code 3T. Two year seedlings, code 2S. Four year transplants—code 4T. Selected Four year transplants, \$1.00 each.

#### COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE

(Picea Pungens)

"King of The Spruces," with its regal grace, is an ornamental, well-known to all. It is very hardy in any locality in any State. Healthy and wonderfully beautiful. No home is complete without Blue Spruces.

Colorado Blue Spruce can be furnished in the following sizes:

Three year transplants, code 3T. Two year seedlings, code 2S. Four year transplants—code 4T. Selected Four year transplants, \$1.00 each.

#### PONDEROSA PINE

(Pinus Ponderosa)

The Rocky Mountain Yellow Pine has very long needles (6 to 10 inches), deep green above with bluish-white be-Extremely handsome and ornamental. Very drought-resistant and hardy. Grows tall and upright—a well rounded neath. pyramidal shape.

This tree promises to be one of the best pines for reforestry work as it is not subject to the blister rust. The wood is often sold as white pine being only slightly resinous and very soft. Will grow in any locality and soil.

Ponderosa Pine can be furnished in two year seedlings. (These are a little larger than other 2 year seedlings). Code 2S.

#### SCOTCH PINE

(Pinus Sylvestris)

Very hardy in any and all locations. Rapid grower. Picturesque. Used for timber, windbreaks, ornament. Any Any condition. soil.

Scotch Pine can be furnished in the following sizes:

Two year seedlings, code 2S.

#### **ENGLEMANN SPRUCE**

(Picea Engelmanni)

The foliage of Engleman Spruce is deep blue-green. That of some trees being decidedly silvery or whitish. It grows tall, making a rather spire-like crown. As compared to the Colorado Blue Spruce the Engleman Spruce has a softer and more symmetrical appearance. It is among the hardiest and most desirable Rocky Mountain Evergreens, but it is much less known than some of the others. Often a robin's egg blue, very beautiful.

Englemann Spruce can be furnished in the following sizes:

Four year transplants—code 4T.

Two year seedlings code 2S.

(Englemanns are not quite as large as other varieties of same age).

## ARBORVITAE

This group of hardy Evergreens thrives in almost any soil and seems indifferent to exposure. Much used in producing architectural effects. Desirable tub plants.

Arborvitae can be furnished in the four year transplants. Code 4T.

# English Malmut Farms

Adwin C. Homerop

New Milford, Conn.

Some years ago my father found a hardy English Walnut tree which had been transplanted from Northern Europe. This tree was bearing quantities of nuts of exceptional flavor and fullness of meat; in fact better than any he had ever seen. He procured some of the nuts to plant on his farm near Lockport, N. Y., but the children found them and ate all but seven. These seven all grew, and in a few years the young trees began to bear nuts fully as good as the original.

Father was very proud of his seven trees which were fast proving to be the most valuable on his farm, one having produced over one hundred dollars worth of nuts in a single year. They were also the handsomest trees in the country, tall and shapely with white bark, dense dark foliage and wide spread-

ing branches.

Horticulturalists came from all parts of the country to see the trees, as they knew all attempts to grow English Walnuts in the North from other varieties had been failures. These they found perfectly

hardy, very good bearers, and the nuts the finest they had ever eaten.

They were so delighted that they begged father to raise them some trees from his big ones, realizing that these would be thoroughly acclimated. The requests were so persistent that father did so, the result being that these trees are now well distributed as ornamental trees about the country and have proven to be perfectly hardy throughout the United States and parts of Canada.

We are now planting groves of these hardy trees on our farms and find them more profitable,

with much less care, than any fruit we can raise.

We have a few of these young trees for transplanting. I have written thinking you would be interested in having some for your home grounds or farms.

#### ORDER BLANK

Orders filled in order received. Our stock is limited. Planting Directions with all shipments. EDWIN C. POMEROY, New Milford, Conn.:

At the proper time for transplanting, kindly express to me the following "Pomeroy" English Walnut Trees and enclosed find Check for \$\_\_\_\_\_ ......One year olds, \$15.00 per doz. \$100.00 per 100 (4-6 inches). Two year olds, \$20.00 per doz. \$150.00 per 100 (16-18 inches). .....Three year olds, \$30.00 per doz. \$225.00 per 100 (2 feet.) Selected three year olds, \$50.00 per doz. \$5.00 each. (2 to 3 feet).

P. O. Express Office....

## **DARWIN TULIPS -- Plant this Fall**

This tall, beautiful and very showy race of May-flowering Tulip is very hardy when grown in groups in the open border, and continues to bloom year after year. They can also be forced in pots into flower in late Winter or early Spring. The numbers show the approximate heights in inches. We consider those listed below the very choicest of the DARWIN TULIPS.

Per Do	z. Per 100
Clara Butt (21) Clear pink, flushed salmon-rose; very beautiful, large flower \$ .5	0 \$3.50
Farncombe Sanders (25) Fiery rose scarlet outside; cerise scarlet inside with white. blue marked center,	
fine form	0 5.00
Feu Brilliant (28) A glorious glowing vermilion scarlet, large, beautifully formed flower on strong stem 1.0	0 7.50
King Harold (24) Rich, deep mahogany red; with rich black center; a splendid dark variety	0 5.00
Pride of Haarlem (28) A favorite for bedding and forcing. Flowers of immense size, deep salmon-rose,	
shaded scarlet, blue base	0 4.00

#### PEONIES FOR FALL, 1927

Plant Peonies in fall from Sept. 1 until ground freezes. 12 of any variety at price of 10.

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WHITE  Each	Solange. Deep orange salmon, overlaid cream.  Mid-season
Avalanche. Strong, profuse bloomer. Late	Therese. Delicate satiny pink
Festiva Maxima. The "Standard" White. Early	Walter Faxon. Salmon pink. Very good. Mid- season
Marie Lemoine. Good. Very Large. Late	RED
PINK	Felix Grousse. Brilliant red. Mid-season 1.00
Claire Dubois. Violet rose tipped silvery white. Mid-	Karl Rosenfield. Dark Crimson. One of the best. Mid-season 2.00
Marie Grousse. Salmon shadings. Mid-season	Officinalis Rubra. The old-fashioned red. Early 1.00
Monsieur Jules Elie. The "Peerless" pink. Large compact bloom 1.50	Phillippe Revoire. Crimson. Fragrant. Midseason. Scarce